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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE MATTER OF:

TAKAHASHI ET AL

ORDER NO. 4461

FOR: IMPROVED OPTICAL PICK-UP DEVICE



INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
And Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

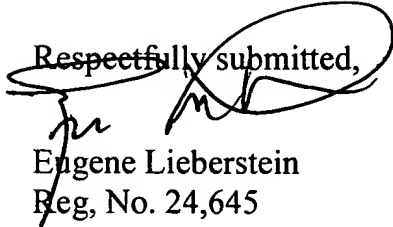
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Applicant requests that the reference listed in the attached form PTO-1449 be made of record. An English language abstract is also attached hereto.

Early and favorable action on this application is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,


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